

# Village Voice

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## BRIDGE PROJECT UPDATE



Safety note: The work continues so remember not to enter the construction area. There are excavations on both sides, steep slopes and other hidden hazards. Starting this week, the contractor will be driving pipe piles in the river and it is best to keep away from site during work hours as the area is congested and the piling is loud. Welders will be splicing piles and building their new work platform, and it is important to remember to look away from the welding arc light as it can cause eye damage.

The project is on target. Here's the latest:

1. Surespan has removed most of the old bridge, including the deck, the railings and the girders. The middle old glue laminated wood girders over the river will be there for a little longer.
2. Crews have driven the steel pipe piles they need to build a temporary crane bridge platform on the East side. These pipe piles will not be a part of the new bridge – but they will support the crane when they drive permanent piles in the water on the East side and move the elements of the new bridge in place (deck panels, railings, steel girders, etc)

## CONGRATULATIONS GRADUATING CLASS OF 2017

Michael Brawn, Cassidy John, Robin Harry, Felix Michael, Sasha John, and Mathias Thomas are the ZESS Class of 2017



Congratulations! We wish you nothing but the best in whatever you pursue.

## ZEBALLOS MUSEUM

The Zeballos Museum is now open for the season.

The operating hours are

Wed 10am-12pm

Thurs 5-7pm

Fri and Sat 12:30-7pm

If you would like to visit the Museum at another time you can call the Village Office to make special arrangements.

## NEW HOURS AT THE ZEBALLOS LIBRARY

Mon/Wed 5-7 pm AND Tues/Thurs/Sat 2-5 pm

The Library now has its very own laptop with internet access that is available to the public. Come on down, our volunteer Librarian Al Carruthers would be happy to help you.



Crews removing the Bridge Deck

from RPB Weekly  
Report July 8, 2017



## CANADA 150 CELEBRATION THANKS

Thank you to everyone who participated in the July 1st Canada 150 Celebrations. What a fun day! What a great success! Thanks to those who volunteered their time and efforts to make our day full of fun and laughter. Special thank you to our music man, the Canadian Rangers and the hot dog team. Huge thanks to the team of comedians who did our Fireworks.

## NOTIFICATION FOR ZEBALLOS EMERGENCIES

The SRD has launched **Connect Rocket**, a mass notifications system to alert you to serious emergencies by phone! Sign up for this free service online at [www.strathconard.connectrocket.com](http://www.strathconard.connectrocket.com)

If you have any questions, call the Strathcona Emergency Program: 250-830-6702, or Meredith at the Village Office: 250-761-4229

## TRAVEL SURVEY

Thank you to everyone who participated in the Travel Survey, and congratulations to the winner of the \$50 draw, Doug Ante!

## REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING SCHEDULE FOR 2017

All Regular Meetings of Council are held at 7:00 PM in Council Chambers at the Village Office at 157 Maquinna Avenue, Zeballos, British Columbia

<b>January 17</b>	<b>May 16</b>	<b>September 19</b>
<b>February 21</b>	<b>June 20</b>	<b>October 17</b>
<b>March 21</b>	<b>July 18</b>	<b>November 21</b>
<b>April 18</b>	<b>August 15</b>	<b>December 4</b>

These are the 2017 regular meeting dates: Notice of Special and/or Committee Meetings are posted on the Village Office bulletin board at least 24 hours prior to meeting times.

## TOTAL CAMPFIRE BAN IN EFFECT

As of July 6th—October 15th (or until ban is lifted) The Campfire ban is in effect. Note this ban stays until the Province lifts it. Rain in Zeballos has no bearing.

Violating a fire prohibition may result in a fine up to \$1,150. If your fire escapes and results in a wildfire, you may be fined anywhere from \$100,000 to \$1million and be sentenced to one year in prison.



## BOARD MEMBERS NEEDED

The Village needs volunteers to sit on the:

- 1. Board of Variance; and**
- 2. Heritage Board**

Interested? Call the Village Office for details: 250-761-4229

## ANNUAL REPORT AVAILABLE FOR PUBLIC REVIEW

The Village of Zeballos 2016 Annual Report will be available for public review from August 1st-15th. Council will consider the report at their Annual General Meeting, August 15th at 7:00pm.

### CLINIC SCHEDULE — July 2017

**PLEASE NOTE SCHEDULE IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE**

Wed July 5th	Dr. Whittaker	12—2 approx.
Mon July 17th	Dr. Armogam	12—2 approx.
Tues July 25th	Dr. Mijares	12—2 approx.
Appointments 250-761-4274	24 hr. Helpline 866-215-4700	On non-doctor days closed 12-1